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## ALMA

On the day before Christmas the Mexican Mission catechists sponsored a children's party in San Jose. Four hundred were present. On Christmas Day the theologians engaged in the work distributed gifts at the homes of their regular pupils, who for the most part are very poor. Regular weekly catechism classes were started for them on Saturday, Jan. 13, at three centers in the Mexican district. Mr. Dodd and six Oregonians (Messrs. Sauvain, McHugh, Danel, Fallert, Collins, and Poole) are the teachers. At the Jackson Street center Mr. Mantrola (East Castile) is giving talks in Spanish on the Mass.

Fr. Paul Linssen (Ore.) has received from the Brom Studios of Utrecht, Holland, a chalice which took nine months in the making. The cup, stem, and base are elaborately decorated with a Tree of Life motif, put on by the cloisonne process. The design was outlined in silver wire which was melted onto the surface. Then fifteen thin layers of mostly transparent enamel, sometimes put on over a base of gold or silver foil, were successively baked on.

The shape of the chalice is modeled on the 8th century Tassilo chalice, plaster copies of which are on display in the Library reference-room. Another feature is a small gold spoon, handsomely wrought, used for transferring water from cruet to chalice.

This work of art was almost entirely the ordination gift of an elderly San Francisco benefactress, who passed away on the day it arrived, Dec. 29. The chalice was used for the first time at her funeral Mass.

On New Year's Eve, Fr. Bartholomew O'Neill gave the sermon at the special two-hour ceremonies in St. Ignatius Church, S. F.

Mr. Henry has been put in charge of the Canisius Correspondence Course. He succeeds Mr. Louis Haven (Ore.), who has held

the office for the last two years. During that time 1050 persons were started on the Correspondence Course. Recent converts include a serviceman in Korea.

Fr. Hagemann was made chairman of the committee on resolutions of the Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Association, during a convention held at Occidental College in Los Angeles, Dec. 27-29.

Along with the New Year, Fr. Mara arrived at Alma from Rome on Jan. 1. En route he had stopped off at Syracuse to visit his family, and then had made his retreat at our retreat house outside that city. He has already begun lecturing on the treatise *De Extrema Unctione*. Fr. McShane also started off this semester with his course on modern church history.

Fr. Raymond Kelley received a rare consolation during his New Year's supply call in Boulder Creek when one of the parishioners asked him, "Father, aren't you rather young to be a Jesuit?"

On Jan. 4 the State Fire Marshal, whose office it is to inspect all institutions and places of assembly, made a detailed examination of the fire prevention facilities at Alma. His recommendations will be received later.

Having received word that his mother was seriously ill, Mr. John Leary (Ore.) left for Spokane on Jan. 9. He recently wrote, however, that she is doing much better.

Several Theologians, together with Fr. Huseman, attended the funeral of Fr. Kristovich's mother. She was buried from St. Ignatius Church on Jan. 12.

At Fort Mason in San Francisco, Mr. Porter bade farewell to his mother, Sgt. Renee Shearing, WAC, who sailed Jan. 13 on a navy transport bound for Japan. She expects to be in service there for two years. During a short leave before sailing she flew to

St. Louis to confer with Fr. Eugene Murphy, S. J., about promoting the Sacred Heart program in Japan.

At the first meeting of the Academy on Teaching High School Re-

ligion, on Jan. 14, Fr. Hugh M. Duce spoke on the background and methods of high school religion courses. Mr. Rutledge is secretary of the newly formed Academy.

## AZUSA

During December but three retreats were given by Frs. James Donovan, Joseph Vaughan and Edward Whelan, and averaged 24 men, our best continued record so far.

Dec. 4-7. Fr. Vaughan gave the Renovation Triduum to the Scholastics at Loyola University.

Dec. 6-9. Fr. Whelan gave a triduum to the tubercular girls at Santa Teresita Sanitarium, Duarte. Some few of the girls are ambulatory patients, but most are confined to their beds. Fr. Whelan addressed the various wards over a microphone, which was moved from ward to ward for each talk so that all the girls might at some time get a glimpse of the retreat master.

Dec. 5. Fr. Odou gave a week-end retreat for men in Phoenix, with 55 present, mostly Knights of Columbus.

Dec. 14. By invitation, Fr. Vaughan spoke twice on the Bill of Rights to the public school stu-

dents of Azusa, during the nationwide Bill of Rights Week celebration.

Dec. 18. Very Rev. Fr. Provincial (J. O'Brien) was at Azusa on his official visitation.

Also on this day, a large group of Loyola High School students, led by Frs. Walter Want and George Crowley, made a day of recollection here under the direction of Fr. Parrish.

Dec. 9. Three Scholastics from Loyola High came as our guests for several days vacation.

Christmas assignments: Fr. Whelan to Anaheim; Fr. Vaughan to parish in Azusa; Frs. Donovan and Odou to Covina. Everywhere confessions were heavy.

Dec. 28-31. Fr. Whelan gave the year-end triduum to the Sisters at Mayfield Academy in Pasadena. Fr. Vaughan gave a similar triduum to the Ursuline Sisters at St. Malachy's Convent in Los Angeles.

## LOS GATOS

Dec. 25. Solemn Mass at midnight, celebrated by Reverend Father Rector, assisted by Father Playoust as deacon and Mr. Kelly of Alma as subdeacon.

Part of the Juniorate choir went out to the Santa Clara county hospital to sing carols during Mass for the pneumatic patients.

Dec. 28. Feast of the Holy Innocents. Novices took a holiday, after the Community Mass, celebrated by Fr. Socius (Moore) and served by the Innocents of the Novitiate, Brothers Rude and Manjarrez. Juniors provided dinner at 4 and an evening of entertainment in the aula after the feast.

Jan. 3. Resumption of classes and beginning of repetitions.

Jan. 6. Feast of the Epiphany. Father James Strehl was appointed Spiritual Father for the community. In the evening, Father Hubbard spoke to the community and then showed pictures of his latest Alaskan trip.

Jan. 13. Father Howard gave the domestic exhortation this evening on the Sodality of Mary and what is expected of Ours in the management of the sodalities.

Jan. 14. Father Howard spoke to many of the Juniors on the sodality and the problems it faces in our province; in the evening, he showed pictures of his trip through Rome, Fatima and Paris and Lourdes while he was in Europe for the Sodality Convention.

Jan. 16-17. Semester examinations.

Jan. 18. Intersemester holiday celebrated at Villa Joseph — in pouring rain.

Despite inclement weather, work is progressing faster on the new kitchen. The refrigeration units have been completely installed and the plasterers are working as fast as is possible. Foundations are being laid under the new kitchen for a new dining room for the workmen.



The fresh appearance of the chapel is noticed by all who come to pray. This "new look" was accomplished by the diligent labor of the Scholastics during the Christmas holidays.

On December 27 the Faculty of the University was honored at the High School at the Christmas dinner.

Father Carroll O'Sullivan was our guest for a few days early this month.

Richard Dwyer, sophomore, has a prominent part in the Ice Follies now touring the country. Through the cooperation of Jesuit institutions and diocesan schools he is able to continue his education where the show is booked.

A rosary for World Peace is being recited each morning by the Sodality after the students' Mass.

The facilities of the plant are being used even after school. The old gym was used by the postal service during the Xmas rush as a station for the distribution of parcels. On Tuesday nights the University continues to use the classrooms for a course on Industrial Relations. Under the auspices of the A. A. U., 24 basketball games are scheduled to be televised each Tuesday and Thursday night in the new gym. These games are sponsored by the Los Angeles Playground Commission.

Fr. Michael Henaghan gave the Forty Hours Devotion during January at Blessed Sacrament Church.

The Jesuit Dads Club held their annual dinner meeting, at which Fr. Rector (Harrington) continued his series of talks about the Saints of the Society.

Sunday, Jan. 7, the community was host to the football coaches and team physicians at a dinner held in our refectory.

The Scholastics are busily engaged in the production of the annual school play. This year's production, "The Hasty Heart," is entirely under the direction of the Scholastics.

Monday night, Jan. 8, there was a huge Dads-Sons Rally in the new gym for the tip-off of the hardwood season. The coaches and varsities of the University and High School were the honored guests. Fr. Vincent O'Sullivan, Dean of Arts and Sciences at the University, was the principal speaker.

A class that explains the beliefs and practices of the Catholic Religion for non-Catholic parents of our students started under the guidance of Fr. Eugene Ivancovich.

In the recent Hearst Bill of Rights Contest, Tony Murray of 3D won second place in the Senior Division.

In an effort to enlist aid for the needs of the California Jesuit Seminary Association, calendars were distributed to students of the senior year.

### Want Ad—An Appeal:

An effort is being made to compile a complete list of all graduates or former students who have dedicated their lives to God either as religious or diocesan priests. To achieve this objective, an appeal for help is directed to all former teachers of the High School. If you have any information in this regard, please jot it down on a post card and send it to the school.

During the Christmas holidays the colored movies of the Holy Year Pilgrimage to Rome were shown to the community and to the parents and friends of the pilgrims. The film (over 3000 feet) runs for two hours. Blue and white titles were made and the scenes spliced together into a complete picture, through the courtesy of the president of a major studio. He also arranged to have a bus at the disposal of the Loyola boys in New York, Rome, Paris and London, and had his representatives in those cities take care of the group, outlining sightseeing trips, arrange meals, etc.—all gratis. This courtesy was extended to the group because of Michael Wayne, son of John Wayne, who was with the group.

The cost of the film was to be shared by the parents of the boys. Also, because the movies were a last-minute thought, so that the parents might share in the pleasures of the trip, the bill was to be paid after the pilgrimage. But when Fr. Frugoli asked one of the parents how much the film had cost, he was informed that there was no bill. For these many favors, a prayer of thanks to St. Joseph, in whose hands the whole pilgrimage had been placed.

The annual Christmas basket drive was one of the best in the

history of Loyola. The boys collected and distributed large baskets to about 70 families. Besides the more than 5500 cans of food collected, the boys contributed \$140.64 to buy chickens for the baskets. The Helpers of the Holy Souls provided the families and

arranged the baskets; the boys delivered them.

The Sodality is continuing its successful discussion-club meetings with the Catholic Girls High School and Immaculate Heart High.

## LOYOLA UNIVERSITY

Father Restor (Casassa) attended the meeting of the Association of American Colleges held at Atlantic City on Jan. 8, 9, 10. On Jan. 17, Father was principal speaker at a meeting of the Anchor Club, an organization of Catholic men in Civil Service. And on Jan. 19, Father was chairman at the luncheon meeting of the Inaugural Congress of Pacific College Placement and Recruitment Officers Association.

On Jan. 13, Mr. William Hogan of the New York Province gave a one-day institute on "Productivity and Industrial Growth." He also spoke to the Foremen's Club at the Times where the Industrial Relations School is currently holding class. His topic was "Code for Human Relations."

The foundation for Religious Education, whose purpose is to emphasize the importance of religion as a factor in education in the public schools, has invited Fr. Daniel McGloin to spend three days on the campus of the University of Oregon. From Jan. 21-24 Father will lecture and lead discussion groups on questions pertaining to religion and especially the philosophy of religion.

The Great Books Movement is flourishing on Campus. Father

McGloin and Vincent O'Sullivan organized the discussion group which meets weekly in the evenings in the faculty dining room in the Lair. Attendance has been so good it may be necessary to break the group up into smaller units.

At the Convention of State Philosophers of Education, held at USC, Fr. D.F.X. Finnegan read a paper on "Catholic Philosophy of Education." At the meeting of the N.C.E.A. which was held at Immaculate Heart College, he read another paper, "Testing in High Schools."

Father McGloin served on a panel at the State Philosophers of education Convention, at which he read a paper, "The Influence of Epistemological Theories on Educational practices."

Mr. Albert Smith addressed the night classes in philosophy at Glendale City College on the subject: "A Catholic Philosophy of Education."

On Sunday, Jan. 14, Loyola University's Air ROTC unit, which enjoys very high rating among the Air ROTC units in the country, participated at the half-time activities at the Pro-Bowl football game held at the Coliseum.

## MOUNT ST. MICHAEL'S

Jan. 1. Father Rector (Dunne) appointed Mr. Wm. Hayes (2nd yr. Ore.) beadle, Mr. Robert St. Clair (2nd yr. Cal.) sub-beadle, and Mr. Eugene Schneider (1st yr. Ore.) choir director.

Jan. 7. The first skating of the season was introduced with an Ice Carnival. A second carnival was had on the 14th.

Jan. 11. Several third-year Philosophers acted as examiners in the philosophy orals at Gonzaga U.

Jan. 15. Very Rev. Fr. Provincial (Small) arrived to begin his visitation.

Jan. 17. Feast and holiday in

honor of Father Rector.

Jan. 18. About 35 Philosophers spent the day at Mt. Spokane.

During the Christmas vacations Mr. Edward Callanan (2nd yr. Cal.) underwent an appendectomy. On New Year's night Bro. Thomas O'Shea was taken to Sacred Heart Hospital with a flare-up of his old leg trouble. A few days later he underwent surgery to drain the leg, the bone of which is infected. Since then he has undergone surgery once, but at present his condition is not serious.

Fr. Joseph Lajoie and Bro. Corrigan are still at Sacred Heart Hospital.



## PHOENIX

Fr. George Dunne gave a series of lectures in the East and Middle West. Long before Father's departure the theatres and halls were sold out. His topic was "Americanism and Catholicism."

In the past few weeks several Fathers from other provinces have joined us to better their health: Fr. Harry O'Brien, Irish Province; Fr. William F. Ferrell, Missouri Province; Fr. Robert Eiten, Chicago Province. Fr. Eiten is quite ill. When not in the hospital, he spends his time with us, most of it in bed except to take meals and assist at Mass when he is able.

Fr. John Gerst, pastor of St. Francis Xavier Church in Kansas City, made his retreat here in January.

Fr. Norman Weyand of the Chicago Province spent a few weeks in Phoenix before Christmas recuperating his health. During his stay he contacted many prominent people who used to live in the Middle West.

On Holy Name Sunday each month the 8 o'clock Mass in the main church is reserved exclusively for men. An overflow Mass in Xavier Hall accommodates the women and children. It is indeed an edifying sight to see the church crowded with men, nearly all of whom receive Holy Communion.

The 8 o'clock Mass every Sunday morning is a dialogue Mass led by Fr. Dunne. Our parishioners are becoming more and more liturgically minded.

Even though our parish boundaries have been diminished, our crowds are increasing.

On the last Sunday of the year Fr. Hanley spoke at all the Masses on the work of the parish St. Vincent de Paul Society. His plea netted more than \$900 which was collected at the church doors.

Fr. Wm. C. Repetti of the Maryland Province enjoyed a two-weeks' rest at our rectory in December.

Many in the Province will be interested to learn that our large property and numerous buildings require the services of more than 20 employees in addition to the teaching Sisters. Numbered among these are workers in the Marian Bookshop, lay teachers in the grade school, a school nurse, cooks for Ours and the children, coaches, receptionists, an organist, a director of the Boys' Choir, a janitor, maintenance man, gardener, and a sacristan. When the swimming pool opens in the spring we hire lifeguards, coaches, clerks, and several other assistants. Some of the help donate their services gratis.

## PORT TOWNSEND

Lenten assignments:

Fr. Clinton Albertson to University of San Francisco.

Fr. Barry to St. Teresa's Seattle.

Fr. Belval to St. Anne's, Seattle.

Fr. John Brady to St. Vincent's, Portland.

Fr. Francis Curran to St. Xavier's Mission, Montana.

Fr. John Huesman to St. Joseph's, Seattle.

Fr. Keenan to San Francisco City hospital.

Fr. Koenig to Providence hospital, Seattle.

Fr. Leonard to Sacred Heart Hospital, Spokane.

Fr. McDermott to Firland Sanatorium, Seattle.

Fr. John McIntosh to St. Joseph's, San Jose.

Fr. Meehan to Our Lady of Sorrows, Santa Barbara.

Fr. Newport to St. Xavier, Missoula, Montana.

Fr. Perlite to S. Mary's, San Jose.

Fr. Reilly to St. Alphonsus', Seattle.

Fr. Koenig gave a retreat to Mercy Sisters in Portland.

Fr. Brady gave a retreat to girls at St. Vincent's in Seattle.

Fr. McDermott gave the Postulants' Retreat at St. Vincent's in Seattle.

Fr. Leonard gave the Forty Hours at St. Leo's, Tacoma.

Fr. John Huesman went to Providence Hospital, Seattle, to assume the duties of chaplain.

## SAN FRANCISCO

Fr. William Dunne attended the meetings of the Association of American Colleges in the East. He also presided at the meetings of the University Section of the N. C. E. A. Executive Section.

In the Law School, Dean Edward Hogan has resigned and taken a position with Hastings School of Law. Succeeding him at USF will be Dr. Vernon X. Miller, who is at present Dean at Loyola University in New Orleans. Until July Mr. Russell Berti will act as Dean.

The Law Library of a devoted alumnus and former instructor in the School of Law, Benjamin McKinley, has been donated to the University in memory of his former teachers at old St. Ignatius, Fathers Prelato, Neri, Sasia, Woods, Mahoney, and Gleeson.

Fr. John McGloin preached the sermon at the Centennial Mass of the Notre Dame Sisters held in St. Joseph's Church, San Jose.

The University graduates of the fall semester made their retreat at El Retiro.

Mr. Robert MacKenzie, instructor in political science at USF, was named head football coach

for the High School, to succeed Mr. Hemovich, who may be called back into the Army. Mr. MacKenzie is a graduate of St. Ignatius ('31), and taught there before moving to the University.

The Fathers' Club sponsored a Cana Conference at the High School on Jan. 14, with Fr. Scannell as director.

After semester examinations on Jan. 22-23, the rest of the week was given as a holiday for the students. The second semester got off to an enthusiastic start on the 29th. On that day, too, the first group of fifty seniors left for a three-day retreat at El Retiro, given by Fr. Kelleher.

In St. Ignatius Church two new windows, the gifts of generous benefactors, have been added. One was placed in the skylight over the main altar, the other in the gallery.

A very large crowd attended both the Hour of Prayer on New Year's Eve and the Midnight Mass that immediately followed. Of the very many people who came to the Christmas and New Year's Masses a large number went to Confession and Communion.

## ST. CLARE'S, SANTA CLARA

At Midnight Mass, Christmas, Fr. Dale Maginnis, Pastor, was celebrant. The University supplied Fr. Spieler to be deacon, Mr. Rollins subdeacon, and Frs. Hynes and W. Crowley to assist with confessions. Fr. Schmidt said the overflow Mass at 12:15 a.m.,

while Fr. A. Kulwicz heard confessions.

Upon his return from a retreat at Santa Barbara, the Pastor gave a talk for the NCCW.

Plans for Lenten discourses are being formulated.

## UNIVERSITY OF SANTA CLARA

On Christmas Day most of the Fathers of the community were out on supply.

Dec. 26. The coaches of the "East Team" were guests of the community at a special dinner in the refectory.

Dec. 27. Most of the community left for USF to be present at the annual Christmas dinner.

Dec. 28. The Scholastics of the faculty of St. Ignatius High School spent four days of relaxation on the campus.

Jan. 3. All classes resumed in the various departments of the University.

Jan. 4. Father Rector (Gianera) and Frs. Stretch, H. Walsh, P. Donohoe were confined to the Infirmary with slight physical indispositions.

Jan. 5. Fr. Hynes, academic vice-president, left for Atlantic City to attend a conference called by the American Association of Colleges.

Jan. 6. Feast of the Epiphany. Fr. Stretch, academic vice-president of discipline, returned to duty. Bro. Skelly left St. Mary's Hospital in S. F. to become a member of the Santa Clara community.

Jan. 7. A stained-glass win-



dow, gift of the graduating class of 1949, was installed in Delia L. Walsh Hall (the Administration Building). It depicts a scene of the Crucifixion.

Jan. 9. Dean Owens of the law department was re-appointed chairman of the State Bar Committee for the Continuing Education of the Bar.

Jan. 10. Fr. Wilfred Crowley, chairman of the Board of Athletic Control, left for Dallas, Texas, to be present at the meeting of the N. C. A. A.

Jan. 11. Volume II of the "Annual Survey of California Law" was issued for distribution. This work, inaugurated by the Law School of Santa Clara, was edited by Prof. John J. Merryman. Volume I was published in 1950.

On this day the first tornado ever to hit Santa Clara Valley bypassed the University campus, but

caused much damage in Sunnyvale and San Jose.

Jan. 12. A letter was received by Fr. Karl Von der Ahe, dean of men, expressing papal gratitude for the spiritual bouquet presented to His Holiness in the name of the students who made the pilgrimage to Rome last Fall.

Jan. 13. The Catala Club completed the furnishing of the James E. Walsh Hall, the new senior living quarters.

Jan. 14. Fr. President (Gianera) made public the plans and dates for the celebration which will commemorate the first century of Santa Clara as an institution of learning. The centennial exercises will be conducted under three aspects, academic, religious, and social. They will begin in March and terminate in May, 1951. Rehearsals for the famous Passion Play have already begun.

## YANGCHOW

Fr. Eugene E. Fahy was named Vicar Delegate of the Yangchow Prefecture by Bishop Kiung of Shanghai.

Fr. Liou has been stirring up Catholic Action by visiting the Christian communities outside of Yangchow City. The foreign Fathers are unable to leave the city environs. Fr. Liou visited such romantic-sounding places as Shih-pahui, Chenchiatzi, Shaopo, and Hukachiao. Some of the Christians, in fear of later repercussions, asked the father not to return.

Fr. Ryan has arranged university studies for some of the advanced students in his coaching classes. Two of them went to Aurora University in Shanghai to take up the study of medicine.

Sunday Masses are attended by about 140 persons. A Chinese sermon is delivered at each Mass regardless of the number of the Christians. The Fathers take their turn in delivering a few words.

The Sunday collection will never be a source of income for the upkeep of the church. This Sunday, for example, we took in a solitary 10,000 dollar bill which is about 33 cents U.S.

There will be two or three student boarders who are likely prospects for the Society. These will live with the ordinary boarders who number around 25. Their

daily order is more or less after the style of the Novices' order. After a suitable probation they will go to join their compatriots who are at present dispersed in the south.

### Christ The King

Present at the Silver Jubilee of Fr. McGreal's Priesthood were Bishop James Walsh of Maryknoll and Msgr. Prevost of Manchuria. An overflow crowd turned out to honor their outgoing pastor and demonstrated their appreciation in many ways, verbally, theatrically, gastronomically, and spiritually. A spiritual bouquet of more than 3000 Masses and Communions was presented to Father, who in his turn responded with a semi-humorous, semi-serious speech befitting the occasion. Fr. Phillips made the presentation.

Fr. Phillips as pastor will commence to preach Chinese sermons in the parish. Until recently this parish has been mostly English-speaking, but since "Liberation" more than two thirds of the parishioners are Chinese.

Fr. Houle has organized a series of weekly Catholic Hours for his Catholic Federation.

Mr. George Wong spent two weeks in Nanking.

On Aug. 13 Bishop Kung of Hsueh (the diocese immediately north of the Shanghai diocese)

was transferred from his see to that of Shanghai. The latter has been sede vacante for almost two years, since the death of Bishop Haouissee. The Bishop is the first of the native clergy to hold that responsible position and is the first non-Jesuit bishop in over 100 years.

Fr. Rouleau left his electric hearing aid and a purse containing 150,000 local currency (\$5.00 US). To the amazement of all, both money and aid were returned to him at Zikawei in a few hours with no loss.

The Boys' Section of the Summer School of Catholic Action was held during the first week of August. The same staff which had conducted the Girls' Section was in charge. Though not as numerous in their response as the girls, the boys turned out very well. Frs. Clifford and Foley were greatly pleased with the results and are now pointing for next year's SSCA with a greater feeling of security than this year.

Fr. Thornton has just completed an eight-day retreat in French to the Sisters of the Holy

Souls. He complains that this time they (the Sisters) were the Poor Souls.

Fr. Dowd accompanied the students on the School Picnic which was also held at Blue Mountain. Fr. Oliger is back in the classroom after a few weeks of medical care; during this period Fr. Pope substituted for him.

#### **Zikawei**

Fr. Charles McCarthy received news of his mother's death on July 25th.

Fr. Phillips and Fr. Brennan made their retreats at Zikawei. Bishop Kiung of Shanghai officiated at ceremonies held at the Madames' Convent. More than 600 took part in the procession.

California Theologians completed their Chinese sermons in the refectory.

Mr. George Donohoe took part in the disputation on Verbo Incarn.

Mr. Arthur Latham delivered an excellent discourse at Christ the King on the dogma of the Assumption and the new definition.

### **VARIA**

For those who have not seen the January issue of Fr. Lipman's Mission News Jottings, it should be noted here that, contrary to a rumor that was current, none of our fathers in Nanking have been incarcerated by the Communist authorities. A carefully engineered incident resulted in Frs. Pope and Dowd being ordered to sever relations with the school. More stringent measures were threatening, among them banishment from China, but latest reports indicate no further developments.

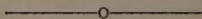
Fr. Howard is currently visiting some of the houses of the province in order to communicate to the different communities some of the results of the Sodality congregation held in Rome last spring. During his visits he is also giving time to those who wish to speak with him individually on Sodality matters.

#### **Final Vows**

On Feb. 2, the following will pronounce their final vows: At Alma, Fr. James A. Mara, Br. Raymond T. Quirin, and Br. Theodore Stump; at St. Louis University, Fr. Carl H. Hayn; at Santa Clara, Fr. Edward W. Burke (Chic.); at Chabanel Hall, Fr. Thomas H. Korn (P.O. Box 1815, Manila, P.I.)

#### **Golden Jubilee**

Sincere congratulations to Fr. Zachaeus J. Maher, who on Jan. 27 celebrates the fiftieth anniversary of his entrance into the Society.



#### **RECENT DEATHS**

Fr. Thomas A. Fay on Jan. 15 at Canisius College, Buffalo.

The Mother of Fr. Kristovich.